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1. [] LIAISON Linda Shamberg, of the office of Representative Charles Thone (R., Neb.), called requesting a copy of "Potential Implications of Trends in World Population, Food Production, and Climate." A copy was forwarded to her.

2. [] LIAISON [] C/SE/DB/DDO, and I met with Stef Halper, on the personal staff of Senator Robert J. Dole (R., Kan.), and discussed Halper's planned meeting with [] for a preliminary discussion leading toward [] meeting with a group of senators, including Senator Dole, who would be most interested in his comments that the Soviets now have strategic arms superiority and the ability to track U.S. ballistic submarines. [] explained that in his debriefings by the Agency, [] could furnish no hard intelligence to support his claims; that his comments were based on his own impressions and his readings of open Soviet literature. Halper said this confirmed his opinion of []. He cancelled the meeting and said he would not pursue this matter since the senators would want hard information to support such claims. Halper felt certain that the Soviet experts who have attended the open seminars at which [] has spoken undoubtedly can determine that his remarks are based on conjecture and opinion. Halper expressed strong support of the Agency and said he has close ties with us since he is the son-in-law of Ray Cline, former DDI.

3. [] THIRD AGENCY Received a call from Merrill Kelly, Director of Intelligence Operations, Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Intelligence, Department of Army. I had worked with Mr. Kelly in the past when he served as the Army's representative on the Security Committee of the United States Intelligence Board of which I was executive secretary. Kelly asked for the reference to the bill for the protection of intelligence sources and methods, introduced by Representative Robert McClory (R., Ill.) in the 94th Congress, which I provided him (H.R. 12006). Kelly indicated that his office is conducting a study of the need for legislation to protect intelligence information in view of recent leaks.

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4. [] LIAISON Met with Bill Hogan, Counsel, House Armed Services Committee, and alerted him to a news release by the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence setting forth the results of its investigation into the [] which will be issued early next week. I gave Hogan an outline of the thrust of the statement.

Hogan said he has prepared a letter to the Director requesting the Agency's comments on the report of the House Select Committee on Narcotics Abuse and Control which appears to criticize the Agency for not doing enough in the U.S. efforts to combat illegal narcotics trafficking. Hogan noted that Chairman Lester L. Wolff (D., N. Y.) had sent an information copy to the House Armed Services Committee and Chairman Melvin Price (D., Ill.) wants to give the Agency an opportunity to explain its position.

Hogan said he had not yet been able to talk with Staff Director John Ford concerning delaying the briefing on [] for the past two years which was requested at the briefing yesterday.

5. [] LIAISON Skip Endres, House Judiciary Committee staff, called and asked if the Agency could do anything to facilitate GAO's review of documents at Immigration and Naturalization Service which concern alleged Nazi war criminals who immigrated to the United States after World War II. He explained that his Committee levied the request on GAO as part of its investigation. I confirmed with him that the Agency cannot grant a blanket clearance since there may be Agency documents involving sensitive intelligence sources and methods information. However, I would get together with our people again and perhaps the Committee could submit its request directly to the Agency on the names that they have. I will let him know if this can be done.

Endres said that Yvonne Foster, in our office, had talked to him concerning H.R. 1163 which deals with fraudulent passport documentation and he asked that I meet with him together with Ms. Foster to discuss the legislation further. I said I would make the necessary arrangements for a meeting.

6. [] LIAISON Called Paul Daly, Legislative Liaison, FBI, and inquired as to whether his people had briefed Representative Larry P. McDonald (D., Ga.) on the security of NATO. He said Mr. McDonald's schedule has been tight but they hoped to get together some time next week. He will let me know as soon as the briefing is done.

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7. [] LEGISLATION Spoke with Mike Madigan and Bill Miller, on the staff of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, concerning S. 305. Mike Madigan said he would be in touch with some staffers on the Senate Committee on Banking, Housing and Urban Affairs, before which the bill is now pending. Bill Miller agreed with my suggestion that we have each of the four Senators who serve both on the Intelligence and Banking Committees briefed by their designees on the material we sent to Senator Daniel Inouye (D., Hawaii), Chairman, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, earlier this week.

8. [] LIAISON Called Bill Miller, Staff Director, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, to remind him that Admiral Stansfield Turner would not be present for the entire CIA budget hearing for the Subcommittee on Budget Authorization on 22 March. Miller remembered this arrangement and had no problems with it.

I asked Miller if he knew anything about a Senate investigation of intelligence recruitment of foreign students at Columbia University. He said he did not but thought such an investigation might be a part of Representative Donald M. Fraser's (D., Minn.) inquiry into the KCIA allegations.

I asked Miller if he would invite Chairman Daniel K. Inouye (D., Hawaii) to be the CIA guest speaker on 14 June and Miller suggested I speak with Chairman Inouye's personal secretary on this matter.

Miller also told me that the Committee's preliminary statement on Micronesia would not be released before the middle of next week.

9. [] LIAISON Mike Madigan, Minority Counsel, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence, called to ask who he should speak to regarding S 305, a bill to amend corporate reporting practices. I gave Madigan the name of [] OLC.

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10. [] LIAISON After checking with [] DDI/CPS, I talked with Ellis Mottur, Office of Technology Assessment staff, and told him that [] of my office, would be in touch with him to make arrangements to see him along with one of our intelligence analysts to describe the kind of briefing we thought we could give the Technology Commission on the transfer of technology. Mottur said he would appreciate this and would await [] call.

11. [] LIAISON In response to a request from [] IC Staff, I called John La Bar, on the staff of General Edward Giller, ERDA, and reviewed with him the background arrangements and security procedures for briefings of the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence which General Giller is supposed to brief sometime next week.

12. [] LIAISON Received a call from Danny Childs, Senate Select Committee on Intelligence staff, who was disturbed that he had not received the information on covert action cases which had been the subject of a letter from Senator William Hathaway (D., Maine) and that he had not been given advance copies of the text of the Director's and Mr. Knoche's prepared statements on the CIA budget before the Subcommittee on Budget Authorization next week. I told Childs that I would check on these and see what I could do.

13. [] LIAISON Received a call from Louise Chubb, on the staff of the Subcommittee on Manpower and Housing, House Government Operations Committee, who asked if a fellow by the name of [] had ever been employed by the Agency. She said this was a personal request. After checking with Joanne, O/P, who checked with DDO, O/S, and Contract Personnel, I informed Ms. Chubb that we had no record of ever having [] employed with us. She asked if I might know a number at the Defense Department which she could call for further help. I told her I was sorry but I did not know any particular number that I could refer her to. She thanked me for my assistance.

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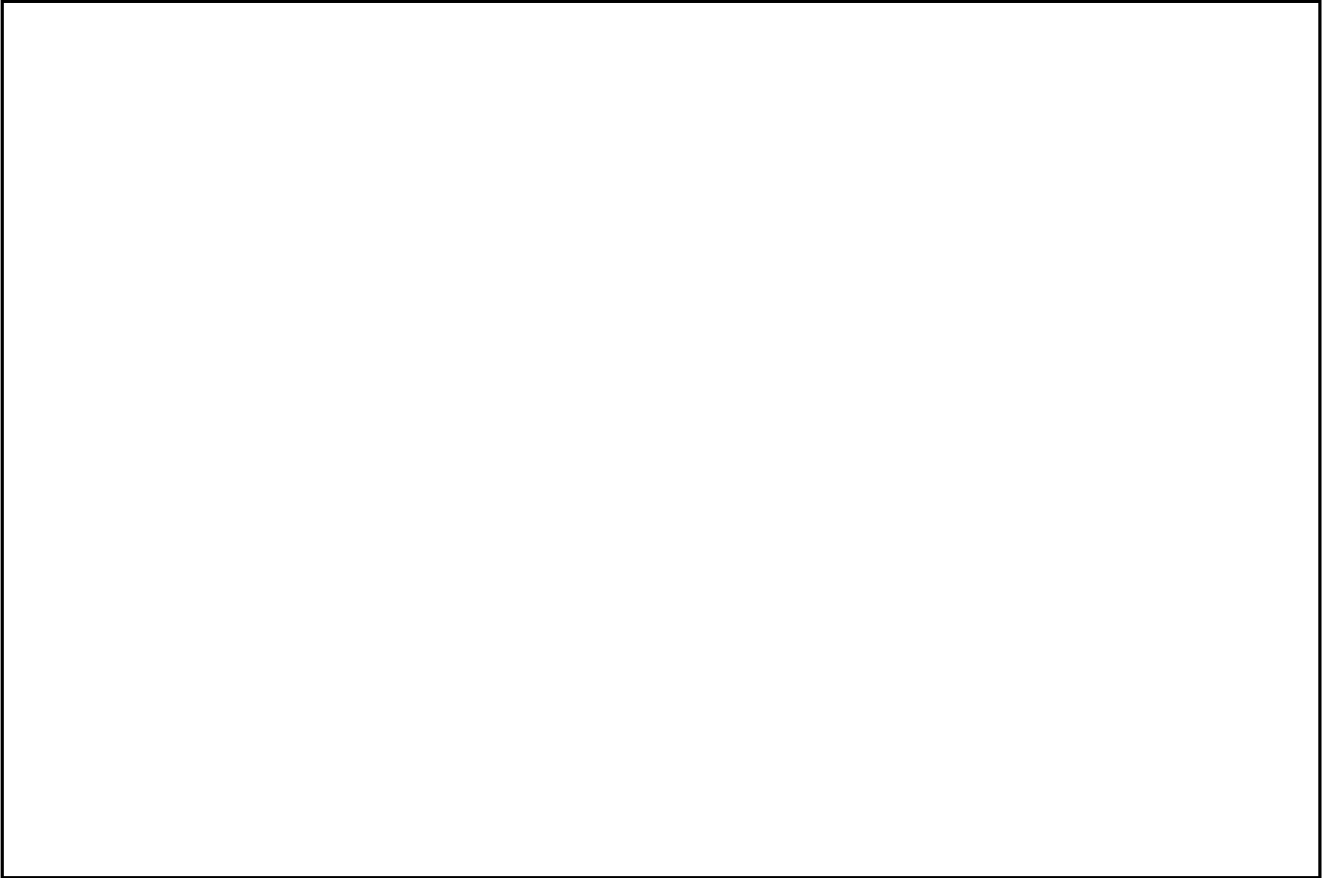
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15. [REDACTED] BRIEFING [REDACTED] CPS/DDI, accompanied [REDACTED] DDI, to a briefing of Tom Smeeton, House International Relations Committee staff, on the situation in Timor. John Holstine, also on the Committee staff, sat in as well.

16. [REDACTED] LIAISON Jack Brady, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, called and arrangements were made for Admiral Turner's informal session with the Committee on Tuesday, 29 March 1977, from 9:00 a.m. to about 10:15 a.m.



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17. [] BRIEFING Jack Brady, Chief of Staff, House International Relations Committee, and then Lew Gulick, also on the Committee staff, called in connection with Chairman Charles Diggs, Jr.'s (D., Mich.), Subcommittee on Africa, interest in a briefing on Zaire on Monday. I advised both Brady and Gulick that we would be happy to provide a substantive current intelligence briefing in executive session on a classified basis with the understanding there would be no subsequent public statements and that there would not be questions relating to covert action or sources and methods. Both agreed. Later, Gulick advised that the Committee would prefer that we deal with Chairman Diggs in his personal capacity and not as Chairman of the Subcommittee on Africa. It was recommended that I call Herschelle Challenor, on the Subcommittee staff, and she gave me the same assurances that I received from Brady and Gulick and indicated that only cleared Committee staffers, Tom Popovich, perhaps Jack Brady, and herself would attend the session in Representative Diggs' office. [] CPS/DDI, was advised.

18. [] BRIEFING Jeff Porro, on the staff of Senator Howard M. Metzenbaum (D., Ohio), called and requested a briefing on Soviet strategic forces, explaining that the Senator had just completed a trip to Edwards and SAC Bases and had a pretty good insight into the U.S. capabilities and is now interested in learning more about the Soviet threat. I explained to Porro that he would not be able to sit in if compartmented information was involved and he understood this and said he would not want the briefing for the Senator to be degenerated because of his (Porro's) presence.

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1. [] CONSTITUENT I called David Jenkins, of the Onalaska, Wisconsin office of Representative Alvin Baldus (D., Wis.), apropos a constituent request for business conditions in Algeria from the standpoint of the American businessman. I suggested that the kind of data which the constituent was seeking such as publications or profiles of countries detailing economic and business conditions and business prospects, would probably be available readily from the Department of State or the Department of Commerce, as a part of their regular assistance to American businessmen. Jenkins agreed to call those offices and to be back in touch if we might do anything more for him. I had checked this response with [] CPS, before giving it to Jenkins.

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2. [] LIAISON George Berdes, House International Relations Committee staff, called asking us to check our records to see if we had ever briefed the Committee on the quality of IAEA safeguards. During 1975, GAO did a study on the subject on behalf of the House International Relations Committee and their report, which was published on 9 February 1976, carried a statement which indicated they had asked the Agency for information and that the Agency indicated it would provide any information directly to the Committee. Chairman Clement Zablocki (D., Wis.) has now been called by a reporter asking if the Committee had ever requested such a briefing. I told him I would call up the files from storage and check.

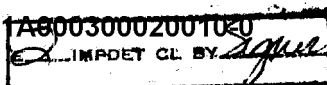
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3. [] LIAISON On reference from Ben Evans, Executive Secretary, to Mr. Cary, I called Chris Aldridge, in the office of Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.), and explained to Aldridge that Evans had mentioned the Senator's interest in Soviet civil defense and asked if the Senator would like a briefing. Aldridge said he did not think the Senator's interest was deep enough to require a briefing and asked if there was any written material we could provide on the subject. After discussing the matter with [] CPS, I told him that anything in-depth must be done by the briefing route due to compartmented information. I said, however, that we were in the process of preparing an unclassified paper on the subject and Aldridge thought that would be sufficient to satisfy the Senator's interest and asked if we would provide a copy when it was ready. I told him I would.

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4. [] LIAISON I had a chance meeting with Skip Endres, House Judiciary Committee staff, late this afternoon. I told him I had not yet received word on whether the Agency would be able to process the list of alleged Nazi war criminals to determine if we have any information concerning them. He gave me a listing of pending deportation and denaturalization court cases by the Justice Department against alleged Nazi war criminals. This was merely for our information at this time. Though he did not so indicate, these names may be included in the overall listing of names which the Committee will provide to the Agency. It may very well be, however, that the Justice Department had checked our files on the names in preparing for prosecution. This listing was forwarded to [] SA/DO/O, office for information, with an appropriate explanation.

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